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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Via EFS

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The following is submitted in response to the Office Action dated 5 February 2008 from Examiner Cecilia M. Jaisle for Art Unit 1624.

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STATUS

This patent application is the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Chapter II US National Phase of PCT International Application No. PCT/BR2004/000236 having an International Filing Date of 25 November 2004 and a Priority Date of 25 November 2003.

This patent application currently is pending.

Claims 21-38 are pending.

Claims 21-24, 26-29, 31, 32, and 34-37 have been rejected.

Claims 25, 33, 38, and 39 have been objected to.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE

1. No Extension of Time Fees.

This response is being filed within the three-month shortened period for response.

2. No Excess Claims Fee.

The fee for twenty (20) total claims and three (3) independent claims has been paid. This response results in no more than twenty (20) total claims and three (3) independent claims and no excess claims fee is due.